

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

**Please replace the first paragraph on page 96 with the following amended paragraph:**

(1) Preparation and coating of positive resist

Component (A): Acid Decomposable Polymer (B-~~21~~28) 0.94 g

Component (B): Sulfonic Acid Generator ~~D-2 I-1~~ 0.05 g

Component (C): Carboxylic Acid Generator c-1 0.003 g

Nitrogen-Containing Basic Compound: 2, 4, 5-Triphenylimidazole (OE-3) 0.002g